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Via Electronic Filing

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re: WCB Docket No. 04-313, CC Docket No. 01-338 Acknowledgements of Confidentiality

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Protective Order and Revised Protective Order adopted in the above-captioned proceedings, submitted herein are the attached copies of the Acknowledgments of Confidentiality for the following persons:

- Philip J. Macres, Russell M. Blau, Eric J. Branfman and the undersigned, outside counsel for ATX Communications, Inc., Freedom Ring Communications, L.L.C. D/B/A Bay Ring Communications, CTC Communications Corp., Focal Communications Corporation, Globalcom, Inc., IDT Corporation, Lightship Telecom, Inc., McLeod Telecommunications, Mpower Communications Corp., Ntelos, Inc., OneEighty Communications, Inc., RCN Telecom Services, Inc., Alpheus Communications, L.P., and TDS Metrocom, LLC
- Patricia M. Hogue, Senior Vice President Regulatory, and Joseph (Tony) Sanna Director of Regulatory, for Alpheus Communications, L.P.

A copy of this letter and the executed acknowledgments have been provided to the person identified on the attached service list who may file confidential information in this proceeding.

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Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, this letter and attachments are being electronically filed. I ask that this letter be placed in the files for the proceedings identified above.

Please call me should you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Joshua M. Bobeck

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I Valerie M. Steen, do hereby certify that the Acknowledgements of Confidentiality was sent out via e-mail, filed electronically, fax or via first class mail postage prepaid to the following on October 5, 2004:

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Executed at the office of Swidler Berlin Shereff Friedman, LLP in Washington, D.C. this 29th day of September, 2004.

Philip J. Macres

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APPENDIX B

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Executed at 11:35 am this 29th day of September.

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